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MOURNING MEMPHIS.

THE FEVER SWEEPING EVERYTHING BEFORE IT.

Twenty-two New Cases and Eight Deaths---Thirty Additional Nurses placed on Duty.

MEMPHIS, August 8.—Fourteen new cases of fever were reported this morning including eight colored. Among the whites are Burcher, Julius Soller, Sarah Flags and her daughter Annie. Five deaths have occurred since last night, Fannie Flags, Robert E. Webb, Angelo Arata, E. Roberts and Lewis Palmer, last named colored. The Howard Association this morning assigned two additional physicians, Dr. Julius Wise and Heber Jones, to duty. It has rained continuously since 9 o'clock last night.

Twenty-two cases in all, eight white and fourteen colored, were reported to-day. Three additional deaths have occurred, Martin O'Leary, Ben. Avent and Jack Mattlin, the two last named are colored. Major W. W. Guy, a prominent merchant of this city and New Orleans, and also a late member of the board of police and a fire commissioner, was prostrated with the fever yesterday, but the symptoms did not fully develop until late in the evening. His physicians say he has a severe case. Major Guy is sick at J. R. Miller's residence, one mile distant from the city, on Poplar street boulevard.

Hon. John Johnson, superintendent of quarantine, and Dr. A. Porter, chief executive of the city, to-day issued the following:

To the Inspecting Officers and Police officers on duty at Memphis: Until further orders, you are hereby instructed not to permit any person or persons to be landed from any boat or any other water craft at this port who have not had yellow fever, and in addition cannot give satisfactory assurances that they are able to provide for themselves. These restrictions apply to all roads leading into the city. The Howard Association to-day placed thirty additional nurses on duty. The weather is very chilly and damp and unfavorable alike to sick and well. There is no change in the condition of Ed. Moon and Miles Owen. J. M. Tighe is very low. Mrs. Athy is convalescing. The mail from the east arrived to-day.

A Half Million Dollar Suit Ended.

NEW YORK, August 8.—A long opinion of Judge Wallace was filed to-day in the Clerk's office of the United States Circuit Court in application for a new trial in the suit of James A. Whalen against General Philip A. Sheridan. The jury found a verdict for the defendant and the plaintiff moved for a new trial on the ground of newly discovered evidence and because of the alleged errors in the trial. The action was for trespass to propertysituated on the Killona plantation, La., of which the plaintiff was dispossessed on the 8th of August, 1867, under orders issued by the defendant as the military commander, and requiring the sheriff to put one Mark Hoyt in peaceable possession of the plantation. After a careful review of the testimony in the case and points made by the counsel, the Judge denied the motion for a new trial. The suit was for over half a million dollars.

Collision at Sea.

TORONTO, August 8.—The Norwegian barque Hermoine, from Quebec for London, deal laden, arrived at north Sydney for repairs. She reports that in latitude 46, longitude 58, on August 3d, at 6:20 a. m., she collided with the British barque Eleanor, of Belfast, smashing in her starboard bow, carrying away her yards, anchor and sails, and doing other damage, causing the vessel to leak. Part of the deck load had to be thrown overboard. Could not ascertain what damage the other vessel sustained. The fog was thick at the time of the collision.

The Tennessee State Debt.

NASHVILLE, August 8.—There was a light vote all over the State in the election yesterday on the proposition to compromise the State debt at 50 cents on the dollar, with 4 per cent. interest. Probably not half an average vote was polled. Meager returns from West Tennessee, including the Nashville and Memphis districts, show a majority against the proposed settlement of 2,500. Davidson county, with Nashville and Edgefield and twelve civil districts, gives 1,400 majority for acceptance. Unless East Tennessee gives a large majority for acceptance, the indications are that the proposition will be defeated, though the result cannot be positively known at present. The city of Knoxville gives 900 majority for acceptance.

Another Sculling Match.

TORONTO, August 8.—A sculling race has been arranged between Evan Morris, of Pittsburg, and Warren Smith, of Halifax, to come off on Bedford basin some time in September, The distance and stakes are to be the same as rowed for at Silver Lake, Massachusetts, July 1st.

Shipment of Silver Dollars.

NEW YORK, August 8.—The United States Assay office shipped to New Orleans this morning 33,4000 ounces of silver, amounting to $350,000 in value, for coinage into standard silver dollars.

Saratoga Races.

SARATOGA, August 8.—The first race three-fourth miles dash was won by Pique; Jennie B, second; Lancelord third. Time 1:16¼.

Another Blow at the Irish.

LONDON, August 8.—It is suspected that the Irish volunteer bill which failed in the House of Lords last night was squelched by the action of the peers who are great landed proprietors in Ireland, in supporting the previous question. The Government leaders approved the bill, declaring they thought it impolitic to fix the stigma of disloyalty upon the Irish people.

A Sale not Consummated.

GREENBRIER, White Sulphur Springs, Va., Aug. 8.—The entire White Sulphur Springs property, consisting of seven thousand acres was offered at auction to-day. The highest bid received was $500,000. The commissioners would not accept this and the property was withdrawn. It will be offered again to-morrow in parcels. There are over a thousand guests here. The weather is warm with occasional showers.

Liverpool Cotton Circular.

LIVERPOOL, August 8.—This week's circular of the Liverpool Cotton Brokers' Association says: Cotton was heavy Friday and re-opened on Tuesday, after the holidays, with great depression, which continued Wednesday with considerable decline in prices. The demand revived Thursday and part of the decline was recovered, but quotations were generally still much below those of last Thursday, 31st ultimo. American was in very limited demand during the greater part of the week, with considerable pressure to sell, and quotations were reduced a farthing. Sea Island has been in fair demand without special decline this week, but quotations have declined about half a penny during the past two months. Futures opened to sell and declined about ⅛ d. Wednesday. They were better Thursday, but the final rates show a decline of 5-32@3-16 d. from those of last Thursday.

South African Affairs.

LONDON, August 8.—A Cape Town dispatch says the report that King Cetewywo had offered to surrender himself is not confirmed and it seems to be the prevalent impression here that he will give more trouble.

LATE NEWS NOTES.

Vice-President Wheeler will spend the rest of the summer at his home in Malone, save for a possible trip to the White mountains for a few days.

The various Irish societies of Pittsburg, Pa., will unite next Saturday in giving a public reception to Edward O'Meagher Condon, the Irish patriot.

American correspondents in London bear testimony to the universal good will and esteem entertained toward Minister Welch by the English people.

The friends of Rev. W. H. H. Murray, of Boston, claim that great injustice has been done that gentleman, and believe that when he returns from California his crooked financial affairs will be made straight.

Samuel Nussbaum, an old citizen of Cape Girardeau county, Mo., cut his wife's throat early Wednesday morning and then cut his own. Domestic trouble is said to be the cause of the tragedy. Nussbaum will die, while the wife may recover.

Charles Bullett, a livery stable keeper of Middletown, Ohio, shot and killed his wife at 11 o'clock on the morning of the 6th, and immediately afterward shot himself through the head, dying instantly. Bullet was a drunkard, and his wife had petitioned for a divorce, which, angering him, caused the tragedy.

In the case of John E. Poindexter, convicted in the Hustings Court of Richmond, Va., of the killing of young Curtis, the Virginia Court of Appeals, now in session at Wytheville, has awarded a writ of error to operate as *supersedeas*, but he is not to be discharged from jail. The argument for a new trial will be had before the same tribunal at the term which will commence in Richmond on the 12th of November next.

Dr. James L. Roberts, of Millville, Ray county, Missouri, while sitting in the store of G. D. Cravens on Monday evening, was accosted by Dr. J. L. Keyes and charged with talking about his (Keyes's) family. Roberts denied the charge, whereupon Keyes called him a liar, and drawing a revolver shot him twice through the body, killing him. Keyes then mounted his horse and escaped.

Florida Affairs.

Savannah Morning News, 5th.

A correspondent writes us from near Brooksville, Hernando county, that all is quiet and peaceable in the county, and it is hoped and believed that lawlessness has ceased. The crops are as fine as have ever been produced. The fodder has all been cured and gathered, and the corn is nearly ripe enough to house, while an abundant crop has been made. Oats turned out well, and more than enough was made for home consumption. Sugar cane is growing finely, and a good crop is anticipated. Not much cotton has been planted, but the crop will be less than one-third of that of last year, which was very large. Some suffering was caused by the drought, but heavy rains are now falling daily, and a large crop of rice and sweet potatoes will be made. Young orange groves are looking finely, and within two or three years the fruit will be shipped by the million from that section. The health of the country was never better, and patent medicines, quinine, etc., are slow of sale.

The Florida Canal Scheme.

Baltimore Sun, 7th.

Recent dispatches from Washington report the promoters of the scheme for the ship canal across the peninsula of Florida as being unusually active. Capitalists of high standing have been in consultation with Senator Jones, of Florida, and have assured him, it is reported, that if the proper concessions can be got from that State, French capital will be forthcoming for building the canal. These concessions include the right of way from Cedar Keys to the mouth of the St. John's river, and exemption from taxation for the canal and its properties for twenty-five years, which can only be granted by the Legislature. Whether this plan be the best one or not cannot be determined at present, and there are not a few persons who are of the opinion that the Frenchmen backing it are doing so merely for the purpose of making the de Lesseps Panama ship canal more popular than it is at present with the people of the United States. But however this may be, it is held that very great advantages would accrue to the commerce of the whole United States if such a canal were constructed. It would shorten the water route from New Orleans to New York a thousand miles. It would revolutionize the trade routes and commerce of the Gulf of Mexico. It would advantage the trade of Europe with the gulf in a still greater degree. That commerce would then take the route of the Bahamas directly to the Gulf by the canal, instead of (as now) piercing the barriers of the Antilles by way of the Mono and Windward passages, exposed to all the dangers of reefs and the hurricanes of the Caribbean sea. The route would be greatly shortened, likewise. Our coasting vessels would no longer be exposed to the perils that they are constantly meeting along the line of the Florida reefs. The construction of the canal would not be either difficult or costly, and the water supply, if locks were used, would be inexhaustible.

An Impossibe Automaton.

In *Belgravia* Richard A. Proctor shows that while it is theoretically possible to construct a chess-playing automaton it is practically impossible, because the machine would necessarily be so enormous and complicated. There would scarcely be room on the earth for it, and it could not be operated. The number of different combinations that can be formed on a chess board is appropriately represented as 100,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000, and if a workman could make and drill 1,200 holes an hour, it would, to drill the requisite number of holes in a chess board, require all the present inhabitants of the earth 100,000,000,000,000,000,000 years! Therefore, Mr. Proctor thinks there will never be a chess automaton that can play a game, unless there is "Life in Other Worlds than Ours."

Philadelphia imported last year $1,500,000 of tin.

MARYLAND DEMOCRATS.

W. T. HAMILTON NOMINATED FOR GOVERNOR.

The Democratic State Ticket---The Work of the Convention---Lightening Taxation.

Baltimore Sun, 8th.

The Democratic gubernatorial convention of Maryland met yesterday morning at 11 o'clock in Masonic Temple. Seats in the front part of the hall were reserved for delegates, and the rest of the floor, as also the galleries, were well filled with spectators. The convention presented a very fine appearance, and there was about the members an air of quiet dignity which comported well with the important business which had brought them together. The whole proceedings were throughout marked by the utmost harmony, and even in the case of the contested delegation from Anne Arundel county the report of the committee on credentials with their decision on the subject was cheerfully received and acquiesced in by all present. The reading of the report of the committee on resolutions met with much applause, especially in its reference to economy in State and municipal expenditures and the abolition of useless public offices. So also did the passages treating on the result of the Presidential contest in 1876, and the duty of the Democratic party in preventing the recurrence of such an event. The speeches of the various nominees were listened to attentively, and it is doubtful if there was ever any political convention held in Baltimore the members of which seemed more to be in sympathy with each other, or more impressed with the responsibility which they owed to their constituents.

Hon. James U. Dennis, of Somerset county, said that he was sure he spoke the sentiments of all the people in his section of the State when he hailed with joy and acclamation the nomination of William T. Hamilton. There being no other nomination, the president asked if it was the will of the convention that the nomination should be by acclamation, to which there was a responsive "aye," and he therefore declared William T. Hamilton to be the nominee of the convention for Governor by acclamation. [Cheers].

Charles J. M. Gwinn received the nomination for attorney general; Thos. J. Keating for comptroller of the treasury; Spencer C. Jones for Court of Appeals clerk.

After the appointment of a State central committee the nominees made short and effective speeches, and after the passage of a vote of thanks to the officers the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

Hon. William T. Hamilton, the nominee for Governor, is a native of Washington county, Maryland, and still resides there. He is over 60 years of age, and, besides being well known as a lawyer, served two years in the State Legislature and three terms in the lower house of Congress. He also sat in the United States Senate from March 4, 1869, to March 3, 1875, when he was succeeded by Senator Whyte. During the sessions of 1874-75 he made several speeches on the civil rights and the enforcement bills. He was a candidate for Governor in 1875, but was defeated in the convention by Governor John Lee Carroll.

THE INTER-OCEAN CANAL.

WASHINGTON, August 7.—As the result of thorough inquiry at the State Department and an interview with the President this afternoon, it may be authoritatively stated that no action has been taken and no correspondence held by this government either with regard to the De Lesseps canal scheme in its relation to our foreign policy or with regard to the further exploration of the Isthmus by another government expedition with a view to the organization of an American canal company. As far as the De Lesseps scheme is concerned, both the President and Secretary of State are firmly convinced that no exigency is likely to arise which can cause disquietude or make it necessary for this government to take steps for the protection of American interests.

REPUBLICAN STATE ASSOCIATIONS.

The various Republican State associations which were disbanded shortly after the President's civil service order was issued, are now taking steps to reorganize, and the Iowa State Association has already done so. It is understood by members of these associations that the President will not object to their reorganization.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

An order has been issued from the Postoffice Department that persons nominated for letter-carriers must be over twenty-one years of age, intelligent, temperate, physically fitted for the service, able to read and write and understand the elementary rules of arithmetic, and must not have passed the age of forty-five years (instead of thirty-five, as heretofore).

IMPORTANT ACTION.

RICHMOND, Va., August 7.—At a meeting of the State conservative committee, held here to-night, resolutions were adopted with but two dissenting votes (Dr. Richard A. Wise, of Williamsburg, and General Groner, of Norfolk), fully indorsing the McCulloch plan of re-adjusting the State debt, urging upon the conservative voters of the Commonwealth an active canvass upon this issue, and providing for the appointment by city and county committees of the conservative party of active and able canvassers, known to be committed to that plan, for the re-adjustment of the debt of Virginia, and such other steps as will best promote the financial interests of the State, in opposition to the party organized by a convention of re-adjusters, held in this city last spring.

Yesterday's Reception.

Norfolk Landmark, 7th.

There is no use in painting the lily, or in gilding gold; but we must say that yesterday, notwithstanding the heat, we had what may be called with truth and emphasis a charming time with our friends of the Old North State. We must congratulate the committee on their brilliant success, for which, however, they were largely indebted to the remarkable decorum and courtesy of our guests, who, if they had studied Chesterfield all their lives, could not have displayed greater good breeding than they did.

Mr. Dossey Battle's words were made good, and it was plain that we were entertaining an excursion made up of the best people of our sister State. Norfolk has cause to be proud of her representatives.

Prize Fighting by Lantern.

New York Sun, 7th.

Last night word was brought to the East New York police station that a prize fight by the light of a lantern was in progress in the open fields near John street in the southeastern portion of the town. Captain Earley immediately sent six policemen to the place. For several blocks around it was very dark, and not a sound was heard. At last the policemen heard voices, and presently heard persons approaching. The police lay down beside a fence and waited. The men who were approaching saw the police in ambush, and separating, fled. The police followed and overtook one party of the fugitives, and saw one of the men light a match and look into the cut and bleeding face of another. These men were arrested. The one with the bleeding face gave his name as Joseph Madden, and admitted that he had been one of the principals in the fight. The other man said he was only a friend of Madden's, and gave his name as Thomas Henney.

There were between two hundred and three hundred men present at the fight. They had a peddler's wagon ready to carry away the principals in case of necessity, and a lantern to light the fighters. The two prisoners were locked up.

AN OLD YANKEE'S WILL.

How David Ogden Disposed of His Soul and His Body.

New Haven Register.

In the old records in the Probate Court much that is curious may be found, but there is nothing more peculiar than the will of David Ogden, who kept a tavern where the Tontine Hotel now stands. The will was the following:

"In the name of God, sole Governor of the worlds, Jesus Christ, the Holy Ghost, the twelve apostles, saints, thrones, powers, virtues, angels, archangels, cherubims and seraphims, amen—I, David Ogden, of New Haven, in the State of Connecticut, being in uncommonly good health and spirits and in my right mind and wits, do in the following way make this my last will and testament:

"*Imprimis:* My body, this mass composed of flesh, blood, arteries, bones, cartilages, fibres and God wot not what all besides I commit when dressed in my best suit of black clothes to its deep, dark, silent grave. 'Tis a dismal house I am to dwell in; yea, verily, a mournful one; therefore, the dress of mourning is the most proper one for me. Then let this body be drest for its coffin, which I pray to be made of sound mahogany wood and not ornamented with brass nails and tin plates, telling my name, age or death. My head will tell these things to the inquisitive in the grave. When this mass of corruption is so equipped let it be borne on the shoulders of four steady youth to its long home, the narrow grave, whom I would should be rewarded for their trouble with decent pairs of gloves each. By the way, should Dr. Edwards, the Sunday next after my last conscience, deem either my life or death to merit a sermon, a short sermon, prayer or a few hymns to be sent up to the throne of an all-pitying and merciful God, pry the let it be done, and for his trouble and good services in this solemn business, give him my last wishes for his welfare, accompanied with a compliment of £3 4s 6d, New York currency.

"Item—My soul, God grant it, if I have any or ever had, it may wing its flight to Heaven, be placed conspicuously among the stars, fly on the wings of the wind, feed the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, the insects of the earth or the fishes of the deep waters. Upon the whole, I give my soul to God."

A Plucky Sheriff.

New York Tribune, 5th.

A mob likes pluck, and before it has tasted blood can generally be managed by the display of a little firmness. For instance, John Parham, sheriff and jailor at Forrest City, Ark., had in his official keeping one Dr. Gray, charged with rape. The indignant citizens of Forrest City sent a note to the jailor demanding that the doctor should be peacefully delivered to them, in order that they might rid the world of the nuisance. Instead of complying with this request, John Parham informed the lynchers that sooner than do such a thing he would die at his post. "When the issue" said he, "is death or the abandonment of a sworn duty, I prefer death." The mob respected this firmness and quietly dispersed, while Parham carried his prisoner to another county jail where the public sentiment was not in such an excited condition. Here is a lesson to all persons holding official stations. A mob has no courage until it discovers that it is feared.

Canadian Troubles.

Philadelphia Times, 6th.

Everything seems to be going wrong in Canada nowadays. Just when the emigration to this country is larger than ever and when there was every motive to increase the facilities for settling in the undeveloped portions of the Dominion, the government has issued some new land regulations which throw obstacles in the way of would-be-settlers. Under the new system everybody who wants to settle in the Northwest must pay at the rate of $2 or $2 50 for his pre-emption right to his second eighty acres, the homestead right being cut down to eighty acres, which is less than will suffice for a living. The inevitable consequence must be a fresh impetus to the tide of emigration from Canada to the more attractive regions for settlers in the Northwestern States and Territories.

Disputed Awards.

A decision is expected from the State Department in a few days in the two disputed Mexican award claims, involving nearly a million dollars. These claims were adjudicated and allowed by the Mexican award commission and the money paid over to our government some time since. But before the money was paid to the claimants new evidence was discovered which it was thought would prove their claims not to be genuine. The matter was brought up in Congress and a resolution was passed directing the Secretary of State to withhold the money until he could make an investigation and determine their valididity.

Quick Dispatch.

Wilmington Star, 8th.

Charles Hansley and Henry Lee, two enterprising colored men of Pencer county, have been the instruments of demonstrating, during the present week, the course of justice and the speediness of its execution in our courts. On Saturday or Sunday last they stole two cattle beasts from parties in Pender county. On Monday they sold the animals to a couple of our butchers. On Tuesday they had a preliminary examination before Justice Gardner on the charge of larceny, and were sent to jail for trial, and yesterday (Thursday) they were tried in the Criminal Court, convicted and sentenced to confinement for seven years in the penitentiary.

That Ominous Bird.

Danville News, 5th.

We are informed that W. R. Coleman, who lives near Mount Cross, shot and killed a very queer bird one day last week. The description given is: width of wings from tip to tip, four feet three inches; length or height, twenty-one inches; and weighed one pound. It had a white head and breast, wings white at bottom and black at top, back mostly black, with small talons and beak. Now, from the above can you tell what it is? The slayer does not know and neither do we.

A. T. STEWART'S BODY.

REMAINS OF THE DEAD MILLIONAIRE SAFE IN THE CRYPT.

A Mystery that is a Mystery no Longer---The Last Resting Place of the Merchant Prince.

New York Star, 7th.

Every morning at 9 o'clock, when Mr. William Libbey, of the firm of A. T. Stewart & Company, reaches his private office, a small leather box is placed in his hands, which is locked by a key in the possession of Mr. Libbey. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon the same box is carried away by the confidential messenger of Mr. Libbey, to nobody knows where. A reporter of the *Star* having noticed this strange proceeding, has unraveled the mystery.

In the latter part of November, or early in December, four men who for many years had been engaged as night watchmen and porters by A. T. Stewart & Company, were found missing by the other employees and new men were installed in their places. The old watchmen did not come near the store and it was rumored among the employees that they had been caught in some dereliction of duty and summarily discharged.

About the time of the disappearance of these men Mr. Hinsdale, the manager of the Stewart property in Garden City, was summoned to the private residence of Mr. Libbey, Judge Hilton's residence being at that time under the surveillance of the reporters, and was told that the crypt intended as a receptacle for the remains of Mr. Stewart and his wife must be made ready by a specified time, and that no money should be spared to attain that object.

Accordingly Mr. Hinsdale engaged a large force of artisans, and on the plea that the crypt would be ready before the severe weather of January sets in, the work was hurried up, and the crypt was under roof even before the time set. Mr. Hinsdale reported that the crypt was ready, and he was told to remain at home on the second night following the interview, and have the boss mason and several stone-masons on hand.

On that night, about 9 o'clock, a coach drove up to Mr. Hinsdale's house. Four men alighted. They carried a heavy box between them. One of the men gave a letter to Mr. Hinsdale informing him that the box contained the body of the late A. T. Stewart, that it must be put into the crypt at once and that the crypt must be sealed with a heavy stone slab, which must be fastened with cement and sealed with lead. This order was carried out to the very letter.

The four men then introduced themselves as the guardians of the crypt, and taking letters from their pockets showed their written instructions. Two of the men have to remain constantly on duty. They are provided with two sets of tell-tale watches, and have to account for every moment of their tour of duty. Every morning four watches are sent to Mr. Libbey, who examines them personally, and returns them the same day by a messenger. The good people of Garden City believe the four strangers to be simple watchmen in the new Cathedral, but they are in reality guarding all that remains of the great merchant prince.

STATE NEWS.

[Correspondence under this head is furnished by regular contributors to the News.]

CABARRUS.

CONCORD, Aug. 8.—Notice is hereby given that all articles to be exhibited at Grange Fair, at Poplar Tent, Cabarrus county, on the 14th and 15th days of August instant, that are conveyed over the Richmond & Danville Railroad will be charged by that company full freight tariff to its destination. On presenting a certificate from the Secretary of the Society that such stock or other articles was exhibited at said fair, the same will be conveyed on its return over said road free of any freight charges.

W. H. ORCHARD,
Chm'n Committee on Transportation.

CATAWBA.

HICKORY, August 8.—A heavy rain fell on Tuesday, the 6th inst. The heat is exceedingly oppressive for this section and thus it comes that some of our young people prefer the night for riding and recreation, especially now that the "pale faced moon" makes night glorious even as the day.

The "Hickory Hop Club" continues its two weekly entertainments at the Central Hotel.

"Where youth and beauty meet
To chase the gilded hours with glowing feet."

A good number of summer visitors are here; some at the hotels, others at private houses. The family of Richard H. Battle, Esq., of your city, are at the Central. Ex-Judge Strong is among the guests at the Sparkling Catawba Springs, and thinks that an exceedingly good place to pass these sultry hours. Seven miles distant from this place, it is as fine a drive as can be desired. A beautiful, level and shady road.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Lanier lost their baby child on Monday last.

The Chester & Lenoir N. G. R. R. bridge, over the Catawba River, is in the course of erection, under the skillful management of Wm. Murdoch, of Salisbury. It is thought that the above named road will be completed this fall as far as Lincolnton, and possibly then be pushed on toward Lenoir.

This depot has shipped the past week to various points in North and South Carolina five hundred and eighteen bags of flour. W.

WAYNE.

GOLDSBORO, August 8.—An alarm of fire aroused our citizens at 10 o'clock Wednesday night. Mr. Thomas Brocket, tinner in Messrs. W. H. Smith & Company's hardware store, left his soldering pot burning in the evening and it set fire to a barrel of coal, and was in a fair way of burning up the store, when two colored women discovered the light and gave the alarm. Mr. James P. Taylor was the first to get to the store. He bursted open the door, and others came and assisted him in putting out the fire. No damage done. G.

GREENE.

WILLOW GREEN, August 7.—The much needed rain has fallen in this section and plenty of it. The thermometer stands near 100°.

Inferior Court in our county next week. No cases of special interest on the docket.

No political news, though we have an election to-day to decide the question of county subscription for the Goldsboro, Snow Hill & Greenville Railroad. The result is in doubt.

Quite a number of young people are now gone to Beaufort on an excursion.

Crops are improving from the effects of the long and severe drought since the rainfall, which commenced on the 24th day of July. H.

GUILFORD.

GREENSBORO, August 7.—Very hot; about as much so as any this year.

A batch of nine cases for selling whisky without license was to have been up before the Mayor, but the principal witness left town the night before, and hence for the present all are laid over.

Mrs. H. H. Tate is now building large additions to the Central Hotel now kept by S. Steele. (This was the Piedmont House, kept by Mr. Tubbett.) Visitors coming to this place should stop at the Central, it being right in the heart of town.

Billie Morehead, (an old servant to Governor J. M. Morehead) died and was escorted to the grave to-day by quite a large crowd, the Society of Good Samaritans (colored) turning out in large force in uniform.

PASQUOTANK.

ELIZABETH CITY, August 6.—The weather is very warm. The moving of wheat, oats, and flaxseed has increased trade.

By the falling of a scaffold on Church street two carpenters were slightly hurt.

The bush meeting at Cedar Grove begins the 15th, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

The schooner Octavius Coke was sold July 30th at public auction and was bought by U. Hornthal, of Plymouth, N. C.

There will be an excursion to Nags Head on the 13th for the benefit of the Vance Rifles and band.

Crops looking splendid.

A dwelling on Main street was struck by lightning on the night of the 28th; damage not serious. Sever new buildings are going up in town. Men commenced putting up the wire on the telegraph from here to Edenton on the 31st. F.

WARREN.

WARRENTON, August 6.—Recent rains have greatly improved the crops. It is believed there will be a fair crop of cotton, but much of the corn was beyond remedy, and the crop will be short.

Joe Alston (colored) was committed to jail on the 5th, to await his trial at the next term of our Superior Court for being the author of the recent fire in this place.

Quite a number of the citizens of this county went down on the excursion to Norfolk. The weather is very warm.

WAKE.

ROLEVILLE, August 7.—It is somewhat late in the day, to be sure, but I think some little account of the picnic of the Sabbath school of the Second Baptist Church of this place, which occurred on the 22d ultimo, will be read with interest by the people of this section. At an early hour on that morning the people began to gather from the different roads leading to the village, and soon the school room (which has been recently built by the school) was filled with children. A procession was formed of about one hundred and fifty children with as many more citizens, which marched to Barham's Spring, a beautiful and picturesque spot, where the good friends of the school had prepared tables and seats for the occasion.

There being no special speakers invited for the occasion, the day was spent in Sabbath school exercises, singing, and short appropriate speeches by the small children of the school. All were good and I would like to speak of them separately; suffice it to say they all acquitted themselves admirably and did themselves and their teachers much credit. The singing was remarkably good, and the behavior was excellent. One four-year old boy, Elias Wall, was called up from a nap and sung a piece through in good time with much confidence. Master Georgie Terrell's welcome address is also worthy of much note, as it made all feel welcome and at home.

About twelve o'clock a sumptuous dinner was spread composed of all the good things of the season, and all partook bountifully of their anniversary dinner, and rejoiced over the gift laden table and baskets. The day passed off pleasantly and nothing occurred to mar the general pleasure.

Mr. Terrell gave a brief account of the school; its rise and progress in the two years. It was organized with eighteen children: at the first anniversary it numbered one hundred and seventeen; and to-day one hundred and seventy-five. It had also built a house, although laboring under many disadvantages. The exercises closed with a comic sermon by Logan Terrell. The text, "And he played on a harp of a thousand strings, spirits of just men made perfect."

Mr. Terrell announced that Rev. A. D. Blackwell preached in their school room every second Sunday, and extended an invitation to the public generally to attend the services as well as the Sabbath school and thanked the audience for their patient attention, and especially the ladies and friends who so liberally contributed to the table, complimenting the audience generally for their good looks, pleasant smiles and good behavior, especially the fair daughters from Franklin and Wake who were visitors. T. W. C.

WAKE FOREST, August 8.—For vacation our place is unusually active. The new building is having a "firm foundation" laid, and as nearly all the brick are already burned, the "hall" will go rapidly up! Buildings in other parts of the village are in progress of completion, and new-comers are prospecting for still others. News from the old students in all parts of the State are cheering: new students by almost every mail are heard from, and all our "old boys" say they will return. We expect two hundred next session. The inauguration on the 3d of September will be largely attended. The NEWS is *the paper* of the place. E. X. P.

More Florida Canals.

Philadelphia Times, 6th.

There is more than one project for a Florida canal. Besides the French company, which proposes to follow the St. John's river route, some English capitalists are interested in another scheme for cutting through the peninsula. The English plan contemplates a canal from the Suwanee river, on the west coast of Florida, in a northeasterly direction to Brunswick, on the Georgia coast. This would be a longer route than the French one, but it is claimed that it would be enough cheaper to make up the difference. General Fremont is superintending some final surveys, E. J. Reed, the English engineer, is coming over in October to investigate, and the friends of the project talk as though they intended to put it through. New Orleans is getting a good deal interested in these Florida canal schemes, and is already indulging hopes of being brought three days nearer to New York and Europe by cutting off the tedious voyage around Cape Sable.

Nag's Head.

Elizabeth City Economist.

The season at Nag's Head is now fairly opened and in a few days will be in full blast. The string band, with harp, discourses delightful music, and the way the light fantastic little toes did trip it on Saturday night, was lovely to look upon. There surely can be no more delightful atmosphere than that we breathe at Nag's Head. Every inspiration is a joy. The company there now is very pleasant, the table is capital. Fish and crabs, and the finest mutton, on Sunday, we ever ate.

AN EXPLANATION.

NO NECESSITY FOR KEEPING UP AN EMPTY TITLE.

The "Farmer and Mechanic" and its Connection with the Board of Agriculture.

Farmer and Mechanic, 7th.

With the present number the legend declaring this paper to be the "Official Organ of the Department" is withdrawn from the caption of our editorial columns. We have not received the six months "notice" which the legal contract made by the Board of Agriculture (signed by the Governor and the Commissioner) formally requires, and we may therefore retain it, or not, as we see proper; but as the Department for a long time ignored the use of its pages, preferring to spend large sums for printing useless circulars, and "Reports," which nobody read or cared to read, we see no necessity for keeping up an empty title, which in a measure restrained us from criticising the defects and mismanagement of the Department. It is true, those who know the editor will acquit him of *ever* playing the "organ"-grinder, and for this reason he was no doubt early found to be a poor selection to preside over the "organic" bellows. The very title became so distasteful that he changed it to "Official Reporter."

Nevertheless the Department of Agriculture has never had, nor has now, a truer friend than this writer. From its very incipiency he has worked for it. As associate editor of the *Southern Home* he was among the first of the State press to advocate the projected experiment. As a member of the Legislature he worked for it, and sitting with Hon. Montford McGehee, and General W. P. Roberts, who (aided by the suggestions of Professor Kerr) were fighting it through the House, he voted "Aye!" upon each of the two or three dozen sections of the Act creating the Department. Six months later he left a home to which he was much attached, to come and take charge at merely a nominal salary of the paper, which the Department publicly declared an all important adjunct of its work. Any reader of the *Farmer and Mechanic* during the past two years and a half can tell whether it has worked faithfully and zealousy for the Department, for the encouragement of Immigration, and for the uplifting of the intellectual, moral and material interests of our people.

So much by way of personal explanation. Thus much also to show that we have no antagonism for the Department of Agriculture—provided in be properly administered. At present it is in bad condition and very much crippled of usefulness, if we be able to judge. Two years and three months has passed, —about forty-five thousand dollars (including printing bills not yet audited) have been spent—and how meager are the results, compared with the possibilities of such an expenditure of time and money! Let us say here, moreover, we have no antagonism against Col. Polk. On the contrary our relations are, as they have been, uniformly pleasant. We know that he receives censure for some things which his superiors, the Board, ordered, and against his protest. He was our choice at the outset for Commissioner, and we have many times had occasion to compliment his zeal and efficiency in the work. But that was in the past. That was when he had the management—virtually, and in name, if not in reality of the whole Department.

At present we consider his office a $2,000 *sinecure*. The duties of the Treasurer were transferred to State Treasurer Worth, so that Secretary Robinson is relieved of all duties except answering letters and keeping a few accounts. For this he receives $1,500, and we esteem him an excellent man for the place. But as Commissioner Ledoux (salary $2,000, with three assistants, drawing about $2,500 between them) has full control of the Fertilizer and Analyzing Department, and as Commissioner S. G. Worth, with one or more assistants, has full charge of the Fish Department, there would seem to remain to Commissioner Polk nothing in particular to do, except to assist Secretary Robinson in answering letters, and exhibit the Under-Museum (not Professor Kerr's museum, which is up stairs), and to make an occasional picnic speech. In this no disrespect is intended toward Colonel Polk, who fills the position about as well as it is possible we suppose.

The Racers Going to Atlanta.

Charlotte Observer, 8th.

The owners of race horses now in training at the fair grounds' race track being dissatisfied with the premiums offered by the North Carolina Agricultural Society, or rather that it will not begin to pay them to take their horses there on account of the smallness of the premiums and the largeness of the entrance fees, have determined to send them to Atlanta, and are now in communication with railroad authorities on the subject of transportation. There are six of these horses, all young and promising, and they would have added greatly to the interest of the racing at Raleigh this fall. As it is they will enrich the exhibition of another State's fair. Mr. Wood, of Augusta, will have charge of the horses, and we venture to say that there will be no prettier lot of colts on exhibition there. The fair is several months off yet, but they will be taken down for training on the Atlanta track.

Standard Silver Dollars.

Washington Post, 6th.

Returns received at the Treasury Department show that there has been a marked increase in the demand for standard silver dollars since Secretary Sherman issued his order to disbursing agents not to discriminate against standard dollars in making payments. The secretary's order was issued June 17th last. From May 1st to that date $438,890 were disposed of. Since, the demand has risen to $707,670. Quite a marked increase, and showing, as the secretary thinks, that his order was a wise one.

United States Treasurer Gilfillan will on the next pay day, try the experiment of paying ten per cent. of the salaries to all of the employes of the government in the District in standard silver. The monthly pay-roll of the government here in the District is about a million.

Growth of the Human Heart.

Professor Beneke, of Marburg, Germany, after measuring 970 human hearts, says that the growth of that organ is the greatest in the first and second years of life. At the end of the second year it is doubled in size. Then its growth is much slower, though from the fifteenth to the twentieth year its size increases by two-thirds. A very slight growth is then observed up to fifty, when it gradually diminishes. Except in childhood, men's hearts are decidedly larger than those of women.

DAILY NEWS

GEO. C. JORDAN, Editor and Prop'r.

SATURDAY - - - -AUGUST 9, 1879.

IN another column will be found an article from the *Farmer and Mechanic*, detailing the reasons for annulling its contract with the Board of Agriculture.

THE people of California are establishing a profitable trade with the Sandwich Islands. Nearly a million dollars' worth of goods were exported during the last six months, and the imports of sugar and rice show a large increase over former years.

The proposition to pay the Tennessee State debt at fifty cents on the dollar and 4 per cent. interest was voted upon Thursday. The returns so far as received show about half the average vote, with a fair prospect that the bill will be defeated.

THE Whalen-Sheridan suit is ended, the court having denied the plaintiff's motion for a new trial. The decision, whereby Mr. Whalen looses half a million dollars may be technically right, but viewing the case in an equitable light it is certainly wrong.

THE Irving Hall Democrats of New York city have formally denounced Hon. John Kelly and Tammany Hall for their opposition to Gov. Robinson's re-nomination, and resolved that the Tammany delegates ought not to be admitted to the State convention.

THE new constitution, the work of the Louisiana constitutional convention, will be submitted to the voters of that State for ratification or rejection on the 2d of December next. The New Orleans *Democrat* calculates that if adopted it will save $1,003,680 to the State each year. More than half of this sum is in the way of interest on the State debt.

THE fact has been developed in Philadelphia that the clerks in the War Department have been quietly stealing the public cash for twelve years, and they have actually bagged over $1,000,000. These thieves have lived extravagantly, and have sported diamond breastpins, but nobody seems to have suspected any wrong until recently.

THE New York *Tribune* is furnishing a supplement for the rural Republican papers in the West for campaign purposes, which rehashes all the old lies about the cipher dispatches and Mr. Tilden. None of this stale stuff meets the terrible charges against the Republican bookkeepers and the direct exposures of the Treasury Department stealing made by Glover's committee. Not a Republican organ has attempted a refutation of Glover's infallible figures. The stealing is a demonstrated fact, and Republicans did it.

THE New York *Times* does not encourage the idea that the present faction fight between the friends of Governor Robinson and Tammany Hall will be of any permanent advantage to the Republicans, and cautions them not to make up their ticket upon any such hypothesis. It truly observes that "he would be an extremely verdant politician who would place the slightest reliance on the ability of any man to keep 60,000 Democrats from voting on the State ticket at all." This is in reply to John Kelly's threat, that if Governor Robinson is renominated the Tammany Democrats will bolt the ticket. It is safe to say that whoever gets the nomination, he will receive the support of the Tammany Democrats as well as all others.

VIEWING things from the New York *Tribune's* standpoint, a common brawl in a Southern village is an outrage—life and property are not safe. If a Republican is killed in a chance quarrel he died for conscience sake. Yet the *Tribune* and kindred sheets profess great attachment to the Union, and are always ready with any amount of good advice to the South, telling it to encourage immigration and build itself up. How they reconcile their professions of interest and good will with their daily practice of reiterating expressions of hatred is one of the unexplained mysteries. As the case now stands people in Europe are warned to keep away from this portion of the Union, and a constant fusillade of lies as to the people and their murderous and law-defying proclivities is kept up by these partisan writers from one year's end to another. Is this an evidence of their love for the Union, and is this the best way of advancing its interests?

THE CRY TAKEN UP.

Perhaps Senator Wade Hampton builded better than he knew when, in his speech on the Senate floor, referring to the cry of "Confederate Brigadiers" raised in the North, he stated that as the most prominent men of the South were engaged in the war, it was but natural that they should be considered as representative Southern men and therefore selected for the places of honor; that the North should do likewise and reward the gallant men that had fought their battles in the same manner. The expression appeared to be a chance remark; it was but lightly commented on at the time, but the seed sown is now bearing fruit. Hundreds of Republican papers, and especially those which are exponents of rural sentiment, contain communications from men who served faithfully in the Union army during the late war, and have always voted the Republican ticket, making the direct charge that, in the bestowal of honors and emoluments, in both elective and appointive offices, they and their comrades are treated with gross and palpable unfairness; that instead of being first, as was solemnly promised, they are last; that when a good official position is to be filled the successful competitor is the man who had engagements elsewhere when they were fighting under the old flag for the preservation of the Union.

This is strong evidence that the tide is turning. That the Northern soldiers who have been led by politicians now propose to take the lead themselves. They see the hollowness of those protestations of warm friendship which lasted until election day; after which "sincere admiration" laid dormant till the next campaign and their votes were again needed. It is a healthy sign to note that the movement above referred to is becoming general in the North. It is a pity that it had not been started earlier.

And we venture the assertion that when the Union Brigadiers of the North and the Confederate Brigadiers of the South meet on the floors of the National Congress there will be less sectional spirit, less partisan rancor displayed, than now characterizes each yearly recurring session of that body.

THE METHODISTS.

This week the Raleigh District Conference is in session at Trinity church in Franklin county, Dr. N. H. D. Wilson is the presiding elder. From the minutes of the North Carolina Conference we observe that there are ten districts within the bounds of the annual Conference, each holds what the Methodists denominate a District Conference each year. From our exchanges we learn all have been held except the Raleigh, which is now in session. It is claimed that the Methodist is the largest denomination in the State. It evidently is a progressive church, with an active ministry. The great success which it has achieved is due largely, no doubt, to the itinerant system. Go where you will in North Carolina, and there you will find a Methodist preacher. So systematic is the practical workings and machinery of the church, that plans are projected and means utilized to carry the gospel to places remote from the regular established fields of labor. Methodism is a vital power and will yet have much to do in evangelizing the world. There is another fact to which the rapid progress of the church is due, that is its *revival system*. Say what you may, but a Methodist *revival* is a very important institution. There may be objection, to them, and so there may be objections to every other good thing. Until "peace on earth, good will to men," shall be the language of all hearts, there will be *just* but oftener *unjust criticisms* and invidious comparisons. In the bright galaxy of intellectual power and pulpit eloquence, the Methodist ministry will have as many stars as any church.

"Has Our Best Wishes."

Farmer and Mechanic, 7th.

By the retirement of Mr. J. B. Hussey, the full editorship and control of the DAILY NEWS devolves upon Mr. Geo. C. Jordan, who has so long managed that paper, as well as the *Farmer and Mechanic* until it passed into the hands of the present proprietors. He is an energetic and capable manager, and has our best wishes.

Three Hundred Candidates.

From the Frederick (Md.) Union.

We think we are within bounds when we estimate the number of aspirants for office in Frederick county in both the political parties at the present time at three hundred. Twenty-one Republicans have already announced themselves as candidates for three of the offices, and this list does not include John J. Murdock, the colored candidate for the Legislature, nor a large number of other aspirants who have not yet been announced. The crops may fail, our springs may give out and our rivers dry up, but who ever heard of a scarcity of candidates when lucrative offices are to be dealt out?

The Glover Report Stopped in the Mails.

New York Star, 7th.

A large quantity of copies of the New York *Star* extra, containing the full text of the suppressed Glover report on the Treasury, were refused newspaper mail transportation by the Post Office authorities yesterday, on the ground that as extras they were not entitled to it under the law. Full postage as printed matter was exacted.

With Allowance.

New York Star, 7th.

Mr. Mortimer Dahlgren, who appears to have settled himself upon the estate of his sister, Mrs. Dorsey, of Mississippi, with the intention of becoming her heir, is naturally very much disgusted because she devised the property he coveted to Hon. Jefferson Davis. The story which he tells is, therefore, to be taken with many grains of allowance.

Not Principles, But Men.

Charleston News and Courier.

One of the most remarkable features of the present political situation is that most of the organs of opinion, on both sides, seem to admit that the next Presidential canvass will be an affair, not of political principles, but of men.

Scented Papers.

Courier-Journal, 6th.

The Memphis papers that reached the *Courier-Journal* office last night were fragrant with carbolic acid.

The Only Sure Way.

Vicksburg Herald.

The only sure way to break murderers is to break their necks.

Industrial Items.

The new steamship building at Cramp's (Philadelphia) shipyard for Morgan's Louisiana and Texas Steamship Company will be the largest carrying steamship ever built in the country, having a capacity for 8,000 bales of cotton, and an average speed of twelve and one-half knots an hour. The works are now employing about 1,000 men.

The Toledo (Ohio) *Blade* remarks: "With wheat at 30 bushels to the acre, and selling at about $1, and that dollar being gold, or as good as gold, it is uphill business to talk of ruin. What begins in a groan generally ends in a grin."

The glass works in Sandwich, Mass., which have been idle for three or four weeks past, have gone into operation. The shoe factory is actively engaged, and the tack factory now runs 50 hours a week instead of 32, as formerly.

Four blast furnaces, two sheet mills, one nail factory, glass works, three foundries and several machine shops are now in operation in New Castle, Pennsylvania.

The managers of the Pennsylvania Iron Works, at Ewington, Dauphin county, Pa., contemplate extending their works, at an expense of $1,000,000.

The Indianapolis Rolling Mill Company has been forced to decline orders for 18,000 tons of rails, being already pressed with work.

Five hundred men are employed in the great locomotive works at Patterson, N. J., and an equal number at the Rogers works.

The wine made from Florida oranges comes, in the course of two or three years, to taste somewhat like sherry.

An Englishman recently visited Newburgh, N. Y., with reference to locating there an extensive linen mill, to employ 2,000 hands.

Country butter is only eight cents a pound in Hinds county, Miss., and fine peaches are only fifty cents per bushel.

Norfolk, Va., did an export business last year of over $10,000,000.

The ore mines of Berks, county, Penn., find it difficult to get help enough.

TWO "EXPONENTS."

Which is the Biggest Fraud?--A Question for Sensible Men.

We take fair specimens of the styles of "inspired" writings displayed in the bogus Democratic paper, the Okalona *States*, and the bogus Republican paper, the Lemars *Sentinel*. These two clowns ought to dress in spangled suits and leap on the stage hand in hand singing,

"O here we are,
A pretty pair!"

Okalona (Miss.) Southern States (Dem.).

A BRAVE OLD REBEL YELL.

A brave old rebel yell, boys, for State sovereignty and the right of withdrawing from the Union.

A grand old rebel yell, ye gallant lads, for the repeal of the black amendments.

A rousing old rebel yell, Southrons, for President Davis and the Confederate soldiers and civilians who have never deserted the cause.

Three ringing old rebel yells and a tiger for the capture of the Capitol and the supremacy of the South.

Lemars (Iowa) Sentinel (Stalwart).

BOGUS STALWARTISM.

Stalwartism means that this Republic is a Nation.

And it fearlessly accepts all the logical consequences.

Bogus Stalwartism gives an intellectual assent to the proposition and defends it with passionate, glittering rhetoric.

But it dares not do the deeds necessary to its full realization.

Whoever says the American republic is made up of States denies that it is a Nation, defends State sovereignty and the incident right of secession, and is a bogus Stalwart.

Whoever maintains that the Constitution of the United States is the fundamental law of this Nation concedes all that the Brigadiers claim, justifies the rebellion, invites secession, denies the revolution of 1860 that made us a Nation, and is a bogus Stalwart.

Whoever says that the revolution of 1860-'65 did not supersede the Constitution of the then United States is a rampant, State sovereignty, tallow-faced rebel, and has no more right to be called a Stalwart than Jefferson Davis or the editors of the Okolona *States*.

Whoever believes or maintains that any portion of the rebellious territory conquered by the national forces has the right to vote at the next Presidential election, or to be represented in Congress, is an open ally of the Southern brigadiers and a bogus Stalwart.

The surest and only way to forever extirpate the damnable heresy of State sovereignty is to abolish the States.

The Republicans of Iowa, Wisconsin and Pennsylvania, have formally resigned their statehood to the Nation, with glorious young Iowa in the lead.

The Legislatures of Iowa, Wisconsin and Pennsylvania, ought, as soon as they meet, to petition the National Legislature for charters.

Let the Republicans of Iowa, Wisconsin and Pennsylvania this winter vindicate their claims to consistency and honor by returning their constitutions to Congress and demanding charters, under which local legislation in future may be conducted.

The King's Ships.

God hath so many ships upon the sea!
His are the merchantmen that carry treasure,
The men of war, all bannered gallantly,
The little fisher-boats and barks of pleasure.
On all this sea of time there is not one
That sailed without the glorious name thereon.

The winds go up and down upon the sea,
And some they lightly clasp, entreating kindly,
And waft them to the port where they would be;
And other ships they buffet, long and blindly.
The cloud comes down on the great sinking deep,
And on the shore the watchers stand and weep.

And God hath many wrecks within the sea;
Oh, it is deep! I look in fear and wonder;
The wisdom throned above is dark to me,
Yet it is sweet to think his care is under;
That yet the sunken treasure may be drawn
Into his storehouse when the sea is gone.

So I, that sail in peril on the sea,
With my beloved, whom yet the waves may cover,
Say: God hath more than angels' care of me,
And larger share than I in friend and lover.
Why weep ye so, ye watchers on the land?
This deep is but the hollow of his hand!

—CARL SPENCER.

Skin Diseases Caused by Uncleanliness.

The physician in charge of the Pennsylvania Free Dispensary for Skin Diseases, speaking of uncleanliness as an exciting cause of skin diseases, says: "I have taken the pains for the past two years to make a careful inquiry of all dispensary patients when they last bathed the whole body, and they have, in some instances, replied never, or have acknowledged that an interval of years had elapsed between the ablutions. When advising the frequent use of the bath to this class of patients they always replied that they had no place in which to bathe. Can this be surprising when we consider the manner in which many of the poor of both sexes are very often crowded together in a single room, or occupy apartments or dwellings in which there are absolutely no facilities for bathing? When ablution is thus neglected the result is that cast-off scales, together with the dust from the air, and poisonous principles from the system, remain upon the surface and close up the pores. The skin can then no longer eliminate carbon and take in oxygen, and the respiration of the individual is impeded. Should any infectious material exist in the atmosphere, it will settle upon the surface and gradually become absorbed into the system, and thus poison the blood. When the functions of the skin are thus impaired, the extra work of this organ will then be thrown upon the lungs, liver, kidneys and bowels, which will be taxed beyond their capacity. In such a case these latter organs will suffer, or, what is more probable, the morbid action will react upon the skin. Thus have the habits of uncleanliness become very often the cause of cutaneous eruptions. A multitude of diseases other than those of the skin are also produced by uncleanly habits."

Impeaching a State Officer.

An Atlanta dispatch of the 1st instant says: "It was definitely decided to-day to bring articles of impeachment against Comptroller-General Goldsmith. There are said to be thirteen articles of impeachment involving the management of the wild lands of the State. A number of speculators, by an expense of a few thousand dollars, have got possession of several hundred thousand acres of wild lands. The Comptroller claims that he acted under the written advice of the Attorney-General, and that the law is to blame and not he. The committee of investigation claims to have knowledge of irregularities. The immediate cause of impeachment was that a friend of the Comptroller offered a legislator $250 and a suit of clothes to sign a paper reciting that the Comptroller had not been fairly treated. It is claimed that this attempt to bribe was made at the instance of the Comptroller, but he and his friends swear that this is not so. The impeachment articles will be formally preferred on Monday morning it is thought. It is the universal topic of conversation."

45 Years Before the Public.

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DR. C. McLANE'S

CELEBRATED

LIVER PILLS

FOR THE CURE OF

Hepatitis, or Liver Complaint,

DYSPEPSIA AND SICK HEADACHE

Symptoms of a Diseased Liver.

PAIN in the right side, under the edge of the ribs, increases on pressure; sometimes the pain is in the left side; the patient is rarely able to lie on the left side; sometimes the pain is felt under the shoulder blade, and it frequently extends to the top of the shoulder, and is sometimes mistaken for rheumatism in the arm. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness; the bowels in general are costive, sometimes alternative with lax; the head is troubled with pain, accompanied with a dull, heavy sensation in the back part. There is generally a considerable loss of memory, accompanied with a painful sensation of having left undone something which ought to have been done. A slight, dry cough is sometimes an attendant. The patient complains of weariness and debility; he is easily startled, his feet are cold or burning, and he complains of a prickly sensation of the skin; his spirits are low; and although he is satisfied that exercise would be beneficial to him, yet he can scarcely summon up fortitude enough to try it. In fact, he distrusts every remedy. Several of the above symptoms attend the disease, but cases have occurred where few of them existed, yet examination of the body, after death, has shown the LIVER to have been extensively deranged.

AGUE AND FEVER

DR. C. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS, IN CASES OF AGUE AND FEVER, when taken with Quinine, are productive of the most happy results. No better cathartic can be used, preparatory to, or after taking Quinine. We would advise all who are afflicted with this disease to give them a FAIR TRIAL.

For all bilious derangements, and as a simple purgative, they are unequaled.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

The genuine are never sugar coated.

Every box has a red wax seal on the lid, with the impression DR. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS.

Also the signature of McLANE'S LIVER PILLS bear the signatures of C. McLANE and FLEMING BROS. on the wrappers.

Insist upon having the genuine DR. C. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh, Pa., the market being full of imitations of the name *McLane*, spelled differently but same pronunciation.

FOR

Chills, Shakes,

FEVER AND AGUE.

TARBORO, N. C., 1878.

DR. H. R. STEVENS:

Dear Sir,—I feel very grateful for what your valuable medicine, Vegetine, has done in my family. I wish to express my thanks by informing you of the wonderful cure of my son; also, to let you know that Vegetine is the best medicine I ever saw for Chills, Snakes, Fever and Ague. My son was sick with measles in 1873, which left him with Hip-joint disease. My son suffered a great deal of pain, all of the time; the pain was so great he did nothing but cry. The doctors did not help him a particle, he could not lift his foot from the floor, he could not move without crutches. I read your advertisement in the "Louisville Courier-Journal," that Vegetine was a great Blood Purifier and Blood Food. I tried one bottle, which was a great benefit. He kept on with the medicine, gradually gaining. He has taken eighteen bottles in all, and he is completely restored to health, walks without crutches or cane. He is twenty years of age. I have a younger son, fifteen years of age, who is subject to chills. Whenever he feels one coming on, he comes in, takes a dose of Vegetine and that is the last of the Chill. Vegetine leaves no bad effect upon the system like most of the medicines recommended for Chills. I cheerfully recommend Vegetine for such complaints. I think it is the greatest medicine in the world.

Respectfully, MRS. J. W. LLOYD.

VEGETINE.—When the blood becomes lifeless and stagnant, either from change of weather or of climate, want of exercise, irregular diet, or from any other cause, the VEGETINE will renew the blood, carry off the putrid humors, cleanse the stomach, regulate the bowels, and impart a tone of vigor to the whole body.

VEGETINE

FOR

DYSPEPSIA, NERVOUSNESS

And General Debility.

BERNARDSTON, Mass., 1878.

We, the undersigned, having used Vegetine, take pleasure in recommending it to all those troubled with Humors of any kind, Dyspepsia, Nervousness, or General Debility, it being the Great Blood Purifier. Sold by R. L. Crowell & Sons, who sell more of it than all other patent medicine put together.

MRS. L. F. PERKINS,
MRS. H. W. SCOTT,
JOSEPHUS SLATE.

VEGETINE is the great health restorer—composed exclusively of barks, roots, and herbs. It is very pleasant to take; every child likes it.

VEGETINE

FOR

NERVOUS HEADACHE

And Rheumatism.

CINCINNATI, O., April 9, 1877.

H. R. STEVENS, ESQ.:

DEAR SIR,—I have used your Vegetine for Nervous Headache, and also for Rheumatism, and have found entire relief from both, and take great pleasure in recommending it to all who may be likewise afflicted.

FRED. A. GOOD.
108 Mill St., Cinn.

VEGETINE has restored thousands to health who had been long and painful sufferers.

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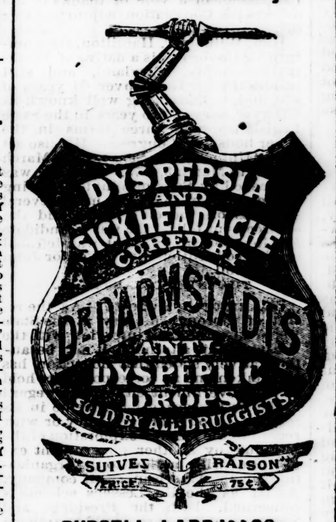

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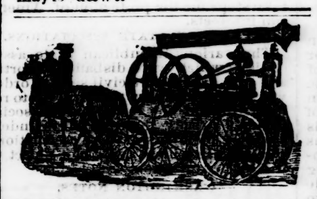

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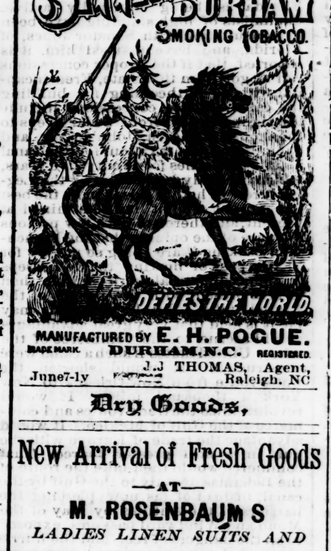

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GOSSIP FOR THE LADIES.

Song.

The clover-blossoms kiss her feet,
She is so sweet;
While I, who may not kiss her hand,
Bless all the wild-flowers in the land.

Soft sunshine falls across her breast.
She is so blest;
I'm jealous of its arms of gold;
O, that these arms her form might fold!

Gently the breezes kiss her hair,
She is so fair!
Let flowers and sun and breeze go by,
O, dearest! love me, or I die.
—*Celia Thaxter.*

The female mind is logical in its way. At least, it seldom has any difficulty in finding reasons to fit its purposes.

A nice young widow on Livingston street was left a comfortable maintenance by her deceased husband, having given him a solemn promise on his death bed that she would not marry again, unless such marriage should be absolutely necessary for taking care of the children.

The children were two daughters, who grew up quickly, married at an early age, and were taken off her hands. Then it soon became known that the widow had contracted an engagement of marriage, and a female friend, who was aware of the promise she had made to the dear deceased, took her to task for her inconstancy.

"I am not intending to break my promise," replied the widow. "I merely promised that I would not marry unless it should be necessary to take care of the children."

"But your daughters are both married, and are well cared for."

"That is true."

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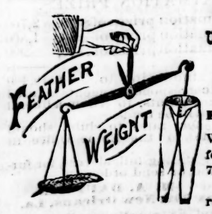

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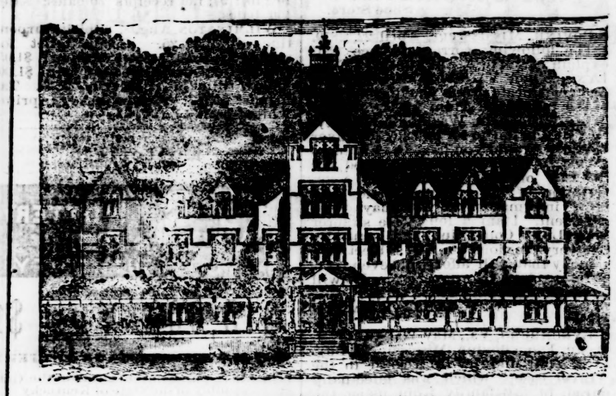

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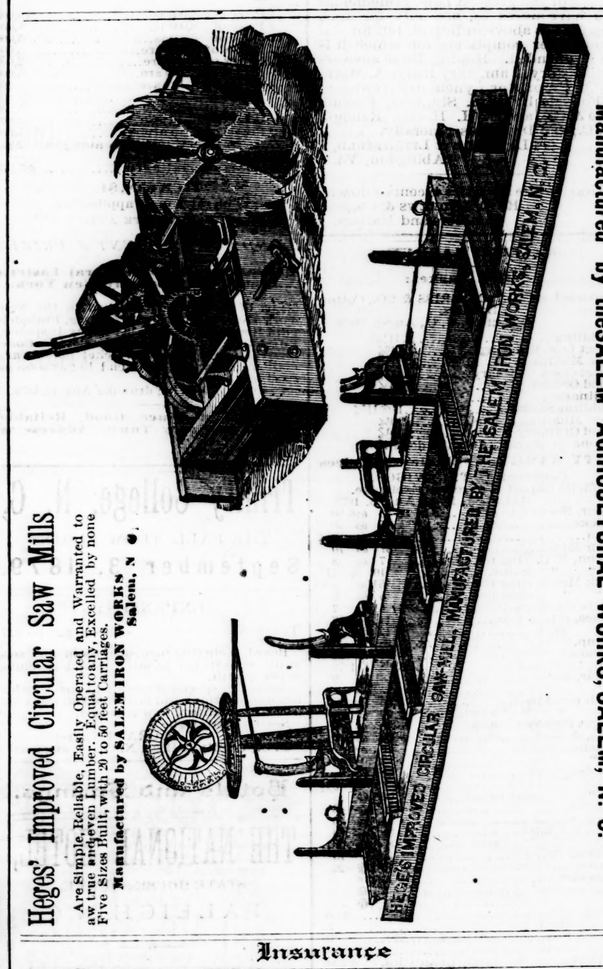
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COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE CO.

OF LONDON.

Called in and Paid up Capital	$1,250,000.00
Reserve over all Liabilities, including Re-Insurance	2,143,300.55
Net Fire Surplus	2,293,106.55
Fire Assets	$5,686,407.10

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FOR WHICH THE STOCKHOLDERS ARE PERSONALLY LIABLE, NOT YET CALLED IN, $11,250,000.00.

Reserve for Total Liabilities, including Re-Insurance, in the United States	$581,393.13
Net Surplus in United States	912,652.92
Fire Assets held in the United States	$1,494,046.05

SOUTHERN DEPARTMENT.

P. F. PESCUD, Special Agent, and Adjustor for Southern States.
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SPRING, SUMMER AND EARLY FALL DRESS GOODS.

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WE OFFER OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF THESE GOODS, INCLUDING MANY VERY desirable fabrics for **early fall wear.** Also very thin goods for the hot season

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which we can afford to sell, and will offer for the next forty (40) days, at from 5 to 10 cents per yard less than can be bought at wholesale in New York, or than be bought in this market after that time.

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CLARK'S TRADE MILE-END MARK SPOOL COTTON

JOHN CLARK, Jr. & CO'S
BEST SIX-CORD,
—FOR—
MACHINE OR HAND USE
A FULL ASSORTMENT
Of All Numbers and Colors,
FOR SALE BY
Yeargan, Petty & Jones
Agents, Raleigh, N. C.

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W. M. HABLISTON & CO.,

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An entirely new and varied stock of Furniture of the latest designs, Chamber Sets, Parlor Sets, Wardrobes, Sideboards, Tables, Safes, Book Cases, Lounges, Bedsteads, Chairs, Hat Racks, Bureaus, Mattresses, &c. Having purchased our entire stock for Cash, we are able to offer greater inducements than any house in this section, and guarantee to sell as cheap is the goods can be bought in New York or Cincinnati. Our house is the largest in the south, and we therefore can give the largest assortment to select from, and offer superior inducements in freights.

DRESS GOODS, SILKS, SHAWLS, LINENS, COTTONS, UPHOLSTERY, TRIMMINGS, FLANNELS, GLOVES, HOSIERY, Girls' and Boys' Suits, Ladies' Underwear, Infants Outfits, DRESS MAKING, WRAPS, COSTUMES, RIBBONS, NECKTIES, RUCHINGS, HANDKERCHIEFS, WHITE GOODS, BUTTONS, HAMBURGS, SKIRT BRAID, SEWING SILK, PINS, FRINGES, NEEDLES, FANCY GOODS, &c.

DRY GOODS BY MAIL.

Send for Samples or information, and satisfy yourself how cheaply and quickly you can get everything in

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS

of us by Mail or Express. We carry an average stock of about $400,000, all bought for prompt cash. **Try us.**

Have the Children send for a set of our Advertising Cards.

COOPER & CONARD,
Importers and Retailers,
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
Established 1852.

Stoves,

ISAAC A. SHEPPARD & CO., Baltimore, Md.
Manufacturers of THE UNRIVALLED

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THE HOUSEKEEPER'S FAVORITE
Combining all Improvements of Value, and Perfect in Operation.
ALSO A VARIED ASSORTMENT OF SUPERIOR
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ARE YOU GOING TO BUILD?

WRITE AND GET OUR PRICE FOR

SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS,

And we Guarantee to Furnish you Such Goods

VERY MUCH CHEAPER than you can buy them elsewhere.

Thoroughly Seasoned! No Shrinking!

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OUR STOCK OF

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Hardware of Every Description.

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Letters from abroad solicited and promptly a

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Grocer and Commission Merchant,

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We keep on hand Bulk meats, North Carolina Bacon, and Lard in Tierces and Tubs, and as we buy in large quantities we are prepared to offer inducements to the trade.

FLOUR.

We sell as a strictly Family Flour, our popular brand, which will give the most fastidious satisfaction, and to the general trade our 98. Family, together with our North Carolina Flour (being thoroughly acquainted with the flour trade of Chatham Randolph and Alamance we are generally well stocked with this Flour and as we sell for them on commission we are prepared to offer inducements to all buyers.)

FISH.

We are the only agents of the largest Fish Dealer in Beaufort, therefore we are able to supply the trade at lowest price. We always guarantee prices and quality of Fish to be as low as the lowest. We have in stock in large quantities. Corn meal, Molasses, Leather, Sugar &c., &c., samples and prices furnished on application.

D. T. JOHNSON,
une 27-tf Raleigh, N. C

Refreshing and Wholesome.

Appollinaris Natural Mineral Water Fresh and Genuine, Bottles and Jugs, just received direct from the Importer.

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Extra fine, Large, Canvassed Bee Tongues.

Pure North Carolina Cider Vinegar, best quality.

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Smoked Beef Sliced or Shaved to order.

Bridgewater, Patapsco and other brand Flour.

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Received twice a week by Express.

Everything in the Grocery Line, best quality, lowest prices.

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WISSLER'S LOCKVILLE FAMILY.

People who eat this flour will live longer make more money, wear better clothes, pay their pew and house rent and go to church more regularly, and keep a larger bank account than any other class of men. For y

more sacks just received by

W. C. McMackin.
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W. C. & A. B. Stronach,

AUGUST 7th.

AT LOWEST MARKET RATES.

300 bushels Mixed Corn.
400 bushels Bolted Meal.
30 barrels Mullets.
50 Packages Herrings.
2,000 lbs S. C. Hams.
10,000 lbs. Bulk Clear Rib Sides.
300 Gallons Cider Vinegar.
50 lbs. Refined Sugar.

SPECIAL.

Ferries Pig Hams (in canvass).
Ferries Smoked Tongues.
Ferries Dry Salt Bellies.
Gilt Edge Goshen Butter.
Tarbells Cream Cheese.
Choice New Carolina Rice.
Woods and Winstons Roe Herring.
"Dove" brand Broiling Beef.
Southampton Hams.
Choice New River Mullets.

TEAS.

If you wish a good article of Tea give us a trial. No charge for sample.

Roasted Coffees.

Finest White and Green Coffees freshly roasted at our Market Square Store.

Miscellaneous.

SMITH'S WORM OIL.

Athens, Ga., December 8, 1878.

A few nights since I gave my son one dose of the Worm Oil, and the next day he passed sixteen large worms. At the same time I gave one to my little girl, four years old, and she passed eighty-six worms from four to fifteen inches long.
W. F. PHILLIPS.

Worm Oil for sale by Druggists generally. Prepared by E. S. LYNDON, Athens, Ga.
March 2, '78—eodly

All parties holding Bonds and Coupons of the

City of Wilmington, N. C.

Will please send for Financial Circular.
HENRY SAVAGE, Treasurer.
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DAILY NEWS

SATURDAY, - - - - AUGUST 9, 1879.

Thermometrical Table.

The thermometer, at L. Branson's bookstore, ranged as follows yesterday:

9 A. M.	84
12 "	86
3 P. M.	86
6 "	84

Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug 8

For the South Atlantic States Winds shifting to northerly and westerly; slowly rising barometer with slight fall in temperature; areas of rain with partly cloudy weather.

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R. B. ANDREWS & COMPANY—Local notice.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

——No marriage licenses issued yesterday.

——Revenue receipts yesterday were $1,045.34.

——Watermelons were scarce and high yesterday.

——Nothing of importance at the Probate Court yesterday.

——Major John A. Gatling left the city for Beaufort yesterday.

——W. B. Merrimon left for the Bingham school last evening.

——Hon. Paul C. Cameron, of Hillsboro was in the city yesterday.

——Raleigh is extremely dusty dispite the heavy rain falls recently.

——One of the gates on the east end of the capital is off its hinges. Look out.

——Hon. Kemp P. Battle, president of the State University, was in the city yesterday.

——Several new foot bridges have been built near the depot. They were much needed.

——Turtle soup at Tim Lee's Club House this morning. A fine chance for those who are fond of this comestible.

——The telephonic wires are being stretched to various points. They have reached as far as R. B. Andrews & Co., up the street.

——Eight entries so far have been made for the coming races at the Fair Grounds managed by the Raleigh Jockey Club. Five trotting, and three running races.

——The shoeing of a kicking mule drew quite a crowd around the blacksmith shop on Wilmington street yesterday. His antics were singular, and quite dangerous to those near by.

——Rev. Dr. Thomas Skinner, the newly chosen pastor of the Salisbury street Baptist church, arrived in the city yesterday by the western train. He is the guest of Mr. W. G. Upchurch. The Rev. Dr. will occupy the pulpit tomorrow, preaching from the text, "Charity toward all."

——Major Moore, author of Moore's School History of North Carolina, has for some time been busily engaged on his large history, and yesterday entered into a contract with Messrs. Edwards & Broughton for the printing of the work. It will be ready sometime in October.

——The Mayor had a slander suit before him yesterday, but as the slander consisted of nothing but the colored contestants hurling rough expletives at each other, and each being equally guilty, the Mayor cleared them out of doors and the drawing-room *soiree* was ended.

——It was with eager interest that that our citizens watched the gathering clouds and mutterings of thunder yesterday afternoon, but alas! alas! they were doomed to disappointment for the clouds dispersed before his royal majesty, the sun and soon he was shining forth with dazzling brilliancy.

——If the stones for the construction of the cistern on Hillsboro street (which ought to have been completed two months ago) are allowed to remain until the coming fair, they will be a serious obstruction to the passage of vehicles on that street, as it is traveled extensively during fair week.

——Heller Brothers certainly understand business. They get in a stock of goods, advertise the fact, and the natural sequence is that if they didn't get another new stock they wouldn't have anything to sell. Boots, shoes, trunks, and a five cent counter are the great attractions at their store.

Supreme Court.

The entire time of this court was occupied yesterday in the argument of one case which will be continued tomorrow.

Justice's Court.

Only one case before Squire Barbee yesterday, Peace warrant. State and H. Dunstan *vs.* John Foot. Defendant was required to pay cost and give bond to keep the peace.

Beaufort.

While we are melting with heat it is refreshing to hear that two hundred and fifty are enjoying the cool breezes from the sea at the Atlantic Hotel, Beaufort. So great has been Mr. Perry's success this season that he is making arrangements to double his accommodations for the next.

A Record Truthfully Told.

A prominent teacher says that "a careful reading of "Moore's School History of North Carolina" will convince any one that it is a book of very great merit, containing valuable facts which can not be found anywhere else. Our State's record is truthfully told and it is one of which we may well be proud." The book is published by Alfred Williams & Co., Raleigh. Price, full cloth, by mail, $1.00.

A Fish Story.

The other day several gentlemen of the city went to Powell's pond on the Neuse, which was being drawn off, for fish. And the way that they caught them was in this wise: they sent Henry Powell's old dog "Bob" into the water; Bob would rush in snatch a fish, give it a death bite, and then lay it on the bank. Bob secured over fifty fish in this manner. If you don't believe it ask Messrs. Rich, Wildey and Company.

Fine Tobacco.

Mr. W. H. Crow, of this city, has been rusticating at Winston and Durham for several days. He states that Winston is a lively town, and all from tobacco. He also sends a fine sample of tobacco which brought $55, and very pertinently says: "What a good thing it would be for our good city if we could only get some of this tobacco trade. Try and stir up our people on this important subject for the future prosperity of the "City of Oaks."

This subject has been discussed for some time, and a movement has been made to the end of establishing a tobacco trade, but it seems to go on slowly, our citizens appearing apathetic about the matter. Durham stole Raleigh's best chance, and now every little village within a radius of fifty miles is following her example. The idea of the Capital city of North Carolina being distanced in trade by any little hamlet that sets up a tobacco warehouse would seem ludicrous if it was not such a serious matter.

No Truth in It.

New Berne Nut Shell, 8th.

A lady in this city has received a letter from Raleigh in which it is stated that a family from the yellow fever districts arrived in that city a few days since, and that since their arrival a little girl in the family has died from yellow fever, while the child's mother is now seriously ill from the fever. We have not seen anything in reference to the matter in the Raleigh papers, and we are inclined to think there is some mistake connected with the information furnished us.

The old saying, that you must go away from home to hear the news, was never better exemplified than in the above instance. There is, and has been, very little sickness in Raleigh for a long time. An occasional case of bilious fever, one or two light cases of diphtheria with some cases of chronic diseases, constitute the city's sick list for some months. So far as yellow fever is concerned, the only case that the NEWS is aware of was Wednesday, when two muiatto women "got their dander up" and pitched into each other; were arrested and shut up in the guard house until they cooled off. By the time the *Nut Shell's* story reaches New York we shall be represented as camping out, railroad communications cut off, and a strict quarantine established.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

YARBOROUGH HOUSE—Dr. G. W. Blacknall, Proprietor.

C G Lambert, W S Robertson, G G Minor, S B Dodds, Richmond; O D Nathans, Philadelphia; R Cotton, Winston; J W Pass, Faison; Miss A Wright, John Dodson, Greensboro; C P Holt, Haw River; W M Morgan, Durham; H W Reinhardt, Miss M M Reinhardt, Miss E A Draughan, Thomasville; Ed W Lyon, Pittsburgh, Pa; W T R Bell, King's Mountain High School; F Meyer, Baltimore; Jas Ellington, Wentworth; D N Sherwood, N C; J H McMullin, Louisville; R J Boreman, Baltimore; T E VanGilder, New Jersey; C L Pettigrew, Washington county.

NATIONAL HOTEL—S. R. Street & Son, Proprietors.

J C Taylor, Chapel Hill; W J McDiarmid, Miss M McDiarmid, Miss L G Murchison, Manchester; J R Page, Cary; W B Kendrick, Va; T E White, Sanford; Wm F Drummond, Thos W Allen, D W King, Seaboard Air-Line; Sion H Rogers, Raleigh; J C Kearny, Louisburg.

Corbin and the "Ladies."

New York Sun.

President Corbin has issued an order against one more kind of visitors at Manhattan Beach. No dogs were permitted to enter the gates yesterday. A man was stationed there to take charge of them until their owners were ready to go home. Many ladies strenuously objected to parting with their pets, but the sentinel was as hard as flint. Not a dog could go in.

"Do you give checks?" a lady asked.

"No; but you'll get your dog back safe enough," was the reply.

"Ah, but my Carlo is too valuable to leave in that way," she pleaded.

"What is he worth?" and the man eyed the mongrel as though making a mental estimate in cents rather than in dollars.

"O, I don't suppose," and here the lady smiled sweetly on her brute, "that his intrinsic value is more than $500, but $5,000 wouldn't buy him.

The Truthful Test.

It requires no learned experts to establish the fact that Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is the purest and the strongest. If it will make sweeter, lighter, and more digestible bread, biscuits, cakes, etc., than can be made with other kinds, is it not an incontestible proof of its purity and greater excellence?

"Where shall I stop?" is the query frequently put by the visitor to New York. This question can easily be settled in favor of the "St. Nicholas" hotel, now, as ever, the leader among metropolitan hostelries. Its furniture, fittings, apartments, conveniences, and table, are beyond comparison the most suited to please the fastidious taste.

Prudent Stock Speculations.

The Stock Exchange never presented such an admirable condition for profitable and rapid stock operations. There never before have been so many fortunes made by quick fluctuations and skilful manipulations. Careful and reasonable people only operate through the combination system of Messrs. Lawrence & Co., which enable those with large or small means to invest and realize handsome profits, which are divided *pro rata* among the shareholders every thirty days. New combinations are constantly forming. From $25 to $10,000 can be safely invested with splendid opportunities for quick profits. An Illinois grain dealer made $13,220.41 in two investments. A Michigan farmer invested $50, which yielded $433.14. He made by three reinvestments over $3,000. A Wisconsin country merchant made $4,249.16 in four combinations; and others have done equally as well. New explanatory circular, with "unerring rules for success" mailed by Messrs. Lawrence & Co., Bankers, 57 Exchange Place, New York City.

Look at the Ladies' Congress Gaiters at 75 cents a pair on the Bargain Counter at

HELLER BROTHERS.'

For Sale.

Valuable city property, one square South of post office. Vacant lot on Fayetteville street near Observer office. Two houses and lots on Wilmington street, well be sold separately or all together. Apply to N. Plumadore.

Ladies' Gaiters, Ladies' Sandals, Ladies' Newports, all sizes, in stock and selling low, at

HELLER BROTHERS'
Shoe Store.

Cured of Drinking.

"A young friend of mine was cured of an insatiable thirst for Liquor, which had so prostrated him that he was unable to do any business. He was entirely cured by the use of Hop Bitters. It allayed all that burning thirst; took away the appetite for liquor; made his nerves steady, and he has remained a sober and steady man for more than two years, and has no desire to return to his cups; I know of a number of others that have been cured of drinking by it."—From a leading R. R. Official, Chicago, Ills.

It is not birth, rank, nor state,
But git up and git, and
Smoking Blackwell's Fragrant
Durham Bull Tobacco,
That make men great.

The Money of Our Grandfathers.

Messrs. Scott & Company, 146 Fulton street, New York city; are now buying the curious old *Colonial* and *Continental* money issued during the Revolution. Persons holding only should write them for liberal offer.

The location of the "St. Nicholas" hotel in New York makes it by all means the most desirable place to stop for the commercial or business visitor. It has perpetuated the traditions of the past in the amirable style of management, and the pride of New Yorkers in this noble establishment need not be less than when it was the subject of a furore twenty years ago. *Cuisiniere*, apartments, careful attention, facility of access to all parts of the house, and handsome furniture, make it all that could be wished.

Low prices, at
R. B. ANDREWS & COMPANY,
Clothiers and Hatters.

Wood! Coal! Grain!

I am prepared to fill all orders for wood, coal, grain, forage, &c., promptly and satisfactorily from my old stand, near the N. C. R. R. depot.

Orders left at C. D. Heartt's shoe store will receive prompt attention.

JOB OSBORN.

Coughing in Church.

No place in the world equals London for the constant barking kept up in the churches. It is like a perpetual fusilade of small arms. Why don't they take Hall's Balsam and get rid of their coughs? It is the most wonderful remedy, and the proprietors warrant it in every instance. Let all coughers give it a trial.

Prescription Free

For the speedy cure of seminal weakness, loss of manhood, and all disorders brought on by indiscretion or excess. Any druggist has the ingredients. Address Davidson & Co., 78 Nassau street New York.

Front Yard Vases.

Seven pairs of Sand Stone Vases on pedestals, very cheap, with choice flowers growing in them. Come and see them at CAYTON & WOLFE'S
Marble Yard.

Virginia penitentiary sewed brogues, price reduced to $1.65 cents, at

HELLER BROTHERS'
Shoe Store,
31 Fayetteville Street.

Prime Timothy Hay,
Marshall's Liverpool Salt.

Clear Rib Bulk Meat,
Egerton's Scotch Snuff.

For sale at wholesale by
W. H. DODD.

No Good Preaching.

No man can do a good job of work, preach a good sermon, try a law suit well, doctor a patient, or write a good article when he feels miserable and dull, with sluggish brain and unsteady nerves, and none should make the attempt in such a condition when it can be so easily and cheaply removed by a little Hop Bitters. See other column.

Patapsco Family Flour

In ½ and 1 1-6 bbl. Sacks. For sale by W. H. Dodd.

WholesaleStore.

Messrs. Latta & Myatt have on hand and to arrive—

300 sacks "L. & M." Family Flour.
50 " "98" " "
200 " "XX" " "
25 bbls. Patapsco and Orange Flour.
40 sacks N. C. Flour.
700 bushels corn.
900 " meal (Virginia Bolted).
20,000 lbs. bulk C. R. sides.
2,000 " bacon and shoulders.
1,000 " canvassed and uncanvassed hams.
4000 lbs. N. C. hams and shoulders
40 bbls. new crop Cuba molasses.
35 " New Orleans "
35 " "Queen Bee" Syrup.
2,200 lbs. bucket, tab and tierce lard.
45 bags Rio Coffee.
20 bbl. "yellow" sugar.
15 " "A." and "C." sugar.
5 " Granulated "

All of which will be sold low. Send for samples and price list. Latta & Myatt, Wholesale Grocers.

Trunks, valises, satchels—large variety—selling astonishingly low, at

HELLER BROTHERS'
Shoe Store.

It is to your Interest to Know

that Payne Bros are now making the best bricks on this market and selling them lower than the lowest. They can afford it, as they give the business their undivided attention and being practical men know how to make them by economy and of best quality.

They use the well known and long tried "Crab Tree Clay" which is unsurpassed in the State of North Carolina. We guarantee our brick and work to give perfect satisfaction. For further information call on Wayne Allcott, Agent, corner Wilmington and Davie Streets or address, PAYNE BROS.
P. O. Box 75, Raleigh, N. C.

A nice assortment of light-colored pants at $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00, at

R. B. ANDREWS & Co.,
Clothiers and Hatters.

Gun and Locksmiths.

Brockwell & King, near the rear of the U. S. Court House, on Salisbury street, are prepared to repair in first-class style, Breech-loading and Muzzle-loading Shot Guns and fire arms of every description. They also repair Door Locks, Trunk Locks, and locks of all patterns, Umbrellas, Parasols, Fluting machines, and everything in the line of small hardware, either brass, steel or iron. Sign and Bell hanging a specialty. Orders from a distance will receive special attention. Keys fitted at residences on short notice. All work warranted.

Weekly Persons' Wine

Old and infirm persons need some mild tonic or gentle stimulant; especially in warm weather. The wines made at Speer's Mount Prospect Vineyards, in New Jersey, called Speer's Port Grape Wine is used, in the Atlantic States as the best tonic wine known, and is regarded as pure, and is very popular among physicians. For sale by WM. SIMPSON, Druggist, Raleigh N. C.

Gents' ties, gents' low shoes, all selling very cheap, at HELLERS'.

Dr. Mott's Endorsement of Speer's Port Grape Wine.

The following, from the celebrated Dr. Mott of New York, speaks wonders for Mr. Speer's efforts to raise the Oporto Grape in New Jersey.

Baths, Hot or Cold.

The luxury of the season. The most popular resort in the city, at Otey's fashionable Barber Shop, opposite the postoffice.

Important to Housekeepers.

Nothing sets off your dining-room more elegantly than having the waiters wearing spotless white jackets. They an be had for only 75 cents, at

R. B. ANDREWS & Co.
Clothiers and Hatters.

C. Weikel & Co.

In order to be abreast with the times in every respect, this enterprising firm are receiving daily samples of all the most fashionable and seasonable goods now in the market. Select your samples and they will send for the goods and make them up in a style that, for elegance and finish cannot be surpassed. Their charges will be moderate and suitable to the times. All goods now on hand will be sold at very reduced prices for cash only. Call and examine her stock. You needn't buy unless tou like.

Worth Attention.

We guarantee a better article, superior finish, and better fitting Dress Shirts (laundried or unlaundried) for the same amount of money to be had anywhere. We make this important feature of our business a specialty and will warrant satisfaction or money refunded.

How Cheap!

Four Ball Croquet sets for only $1,00 at J. C. Brewster's where you can find all the latest novelties in the house furnishing line. A full stock of Fruit Jars, Preserving Kettles, etc. The latest style of Oil Stoves, the best and cheapest cook stove for summer use. Ice Cream Freezers low down to close out stock.

Ale, Porter and Mineral Waters.

My facilities for the delivery of the above in bottles or kegs, are superior to any in the State. Prices as low as the lowest. Country orders solicited.

M. BILLS, Raleigh, N. C.
City Botling Works.

Another lot of new goods on our five cent counter just opened this morning at

HELLER BROTHERS'
Shoe Store.

BOVINE, MISSISSIPPI, April 22, 1879.—The following correspondence will explain itself: A. WADDILL, ESQ., LYNCHBURG, VA.—Dear Sir: Observing a certificate from you in reference to the "Iron and Alum Mass," of the Seven Springs, in Washington county, Va., in relation to its efficacy for Liver Diseases, would you have the kindness to inform me whether you used the "Mass" or the "Water;" also, a description of the symptoms and such other information as you may deem pertinent. I am a long-time sufferer with Liver Complaint, and naturally feel very anxious on the subject of a remedy that will afford me even temporary relief. Your early reply will greatly oblige, very respectfully,

WILLIAM BARR.

LYNCHBURG, Va., May 12, 1879.—WM. BARR, Esq., Bovine, Mississippi—Dear Sir: Your inquiry in regard to the "Liver case" which was effectually cured in my family from using the "Seven Springs Mass," is before me. The case referred to in my certificate was that of my wife's sister, who is now in her 80th year, and has been a member of my family for the last 27 years. She had been afflicted with Liver Disease for 30 years, sometimes almost dying with pains in the back, breast, and heaviness of the chest, heart-burns (intensely), sick stomach, vomiting, &c. I procured a few bottles of the "Mass" for her, and very soon after she began the use of it, her health commenced to get better, and she continued steadily to improve, and at this writing, so old, seemingly in as good health as a person who had never been afflicted with these diseases. She attributes her cure entirely to the efficacy of the "Seven Springs Mass." I regard it one of the greatest family medicines we have access to, not only for such diseases as above indicated, but for various other complaints for which it is recommended. Hoping these answers satisfactory, I am, very truly, A. WADDILL, Proprietor Lynchburg News.

For sale by Wm. Simpson, Pescud, Lee & Co., and F. H. Heartt, Raleigh, N. C., and Druggists generally.

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Cotton Market:

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RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 8, 1879.

Middling	11¼
Strict Low Middling	11⅛
Low Middling	11⅛
Strict Good Ordinary	11⅛
Good Ordinary	10⅞
Ordinary	
Middling Stains	11@11⅛
Low Middling Stains	10¼
Good Ordinary Stains	10⅛

Tone of Market, dull and declining.

CITY MARKETS—Wholesale Prices

Corrected by T. J. WIGGS.
Official Report of Grocers Exchange.
RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 8, 1879.

Flour, North Carolina	$5 75@6 00
Chickens	15 @ 20
Corn	65 @ 67½
Corn Meal	67 @ 70
Bacon, N. C. Hog round	7 @ 8
" hams	10 @ 11
Bulk Meats, clear rib sides	5¾@ 6
" " shoulders	5 @ 5
North Carolina Pork	6 @ 7
Coffee, prime Rio	14 @ 17
" good	12 @ 15
Syrup, S. H.	25 @ 8
Molasses, Cuba	33 @ 35
Salt, Liverpool	1 65 @1 70
Sugar, white	8½@ 9
" yellow	7½@ 8
Irish potatoes	1 00 @1 25
" North Carolina	50 @ 55
Sweet Potatoes (seed)	75 @ 80
Oats, shelled	45 @ 50
Peaches, peeled	8 per lb
" unpealed	3 "
Apples, dried	3 @ 4
Cotton Ties, new	5 @ 5½
" " spliced	3½@ "
Bagging	12 @ 13
Pork	5 @ 6
Peas, per bushel, white	85 @ 90
" " stock	85 @ 90
Eggs	12½@ 15
Butter	15 @ 20
Beeswax	16½@
Rags—mixed	1½@
" cotton	1¾@
FURS—Otter	$5.00
Mink	75
Fox	90
Coon	35

Above are for large quantities. When mall quantities are wanted higher prices will be charged.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Money at 2½@4; closing at 4, weak on a light business. Exchange 4.81½. Governments firm at 2⅛@6. Gold 1½. State bonds dull.

Cotton—net receipts — bales; gross 83. Futures closed firm; sales 106,000 bales; August 11.00@11.01; September 10.93a10.94; October 10.24; November 10.03@10.04; December 10.01@10.02; January 10.06@10.08; February 10.16@10.19; March 10.30.

Cotton steady; sales 1,120 bales; middling uplands 11¼; middling Orleans 11 1-4; weekly net receipts 51; gross 1,430 bales; exports to Great Britain 5,122 bales; to continent 272; channel 2,723.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Flour in buyers favor and very light demand; Southern dull; common to fair extra 55a65; good to choice do. 5.75a5.77. Wheat winter unsettled, opening firmer but closing ¼a½ lower and less active; spring quiet and about steady; ungraded winter red 90a1.09; No. 3 do. 1.02½a1.07. Corn ¼a½ cent higher with fair trade; ungraded 43a46½. Oats shade firmer and fairly active at 31; rejected 33; No. 3, 35a35½. Hay firmly held at fair business; shipping 50. Coffee quiet and about steady. Sugar dull and rather easy; fair to good refining 6¾a6⅞; prime 6¾a7; refined dull.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 8.—Oats inactive; Southern 37@40; Western white 37@38; do. mixed 35@36; Pennsylvania 37@38. Rye quiet at 56@58. Hay steady; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland $13.00@$14.00 per ton. Provisions firmer; mess pork $10.25@$10.50; bulk meats loose—shoulders 3½; clear rib sides 4½; packed 4¼@5¼. Bacon—shoulders 4¾@—; clear rib sides 5¾; hams 11@12. Lard, refined, in tierces 7. Butter firm; prime to choice western packed 12@14; roll 10@12. Eggs steady at 10@11. Coffee quiet; Rio cargoes 11¼@14½. Whisky quiet $1.07½@1.08. Sugar 8⅞@8⅝. Flour steady and quiet; Howard street and Western super $3@3.50; extra 4@4.75; family 5@5.75; city mills super 3.25@3.50; extra 4.25@4.75; Rio brands 6.00@6.25; Patapsco family 6.75.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 8.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat fairly active and shade higher at 92@95; receipts 29,000; shipments 44,000. Corn firmer at 38¼a39. Oats dull at 27a30 for new. Pork steady and firm at $8.50@$8.75. Lard dull and nominal; current make $5½ bid. Bulk meats in fair demand and firmer—shoulders $3½; clear rib $4.32½a4.35; clear sides 4.50. Bacon in fair demand—shoulders $3.90 clear ribs $4.86a$4.90; clear sides $5.15. Whiston in good demand at full prices.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 7.—Noon—Cotton steady; middling uplands 6¼; mid'g Orleans 6 5-16; sales 10,000 bales; speculation and export 200 bales; receipts 2,700 bales, all American. Uplands low middling clause, September and October delivery 6¼; October and November delivery 6¼@6 6 1-32. Futures firm,

Aug 8.—Cotton—Middling, low middling, good ordinary: Galveston—dull at 10½, and 10⅝ cents; net receipts 227 bales. Norfolk—steady at 10 7-8a10.23 cents; net receipts none; sales 30. Baltimore—dull at 11⅛; 11⅛; 10⅛ cents; net receipts none; sales none. Boston—quiet at 11¼, 11¼ and 10⅞ cents; net receipts 38 bales; sales 285; Wilmington—steady at 11¼; 11; 10½ cents; net receipts — bales; sales —. Philadelphia—quiet at 11¼; 11⅛ and 10⅞ cents; net receipts — bales. Savannah—dull at 10⅜, 10⅛ and 9⅝ cents; net receipts 1 bales. New Orleans—quiet and nominal at 10½; 10⅛ and 9⅞ cents; net receipts 30 bales. Mobile—quiet 10½; 10¼; 9¾; net receipts 30 bales; sales 150 bales.

WILMINGTON, Aug. 8.—Spirits turpentine dull at 25. Rosin quiet for strained $1.00, good strained $1.05; Crude turpentine steady; hard $1.00; yellow dip $1.75; virgin $2.25. Tar firmer $1.12½. Corn steady; prime white 56.

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